



In re the Application of: **Hideaki YOSHIMURA**

Group Art Unit: **2891**

Serial Number: **10/772,252**

Examiner: **David A. Zarneke**

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Confirmation No.: **6490**

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE WITH IMPROVED HEAT  
DISSIPATION, AND A METHOD OF MAKING A  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

Attorney Docket Number: **042088**

Customer Number: **38834**

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 21, 2006

Sir:


In response to the requirement for an election of species dated December 13, 2005, applicant provisionally elects to prosecute Species II, Fig. 2 and Subspecies IIa, Fig. 7 without traverse. It is believed that claims 1-5 read on the elected species. The applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications on the non-elected claims.

The applicant respectfully requests an early examination on the elected claims and favorable action on the merits. If the Examiner has any questions with this Response, please feel free to call the undersigned at the indicated telephone number.

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If this paper is not timely filed, Applicant respectfully petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,  
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